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NTID receives Japanese grant

The Nippon Foundation of Japan is giving the National Technical Institute for the Deaf \$1.16 million to continue helping deaf college students in other countries.

Last year, \$900,000 was given to NTID, a college of Rochester Institute of Technology. The Foundation may give more than \$6 million to NTID over five

years.

The money was used to create the Postsecondary Education Network International, intended to equip deaf students with the skills needed to compete in a high-technology workplace and to enable universities to share teaching techniques.

A delegation from a college for the deaf in the Philippines is expected in Rochester this

weekend to visit NTID.